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Indiana Crop Weather

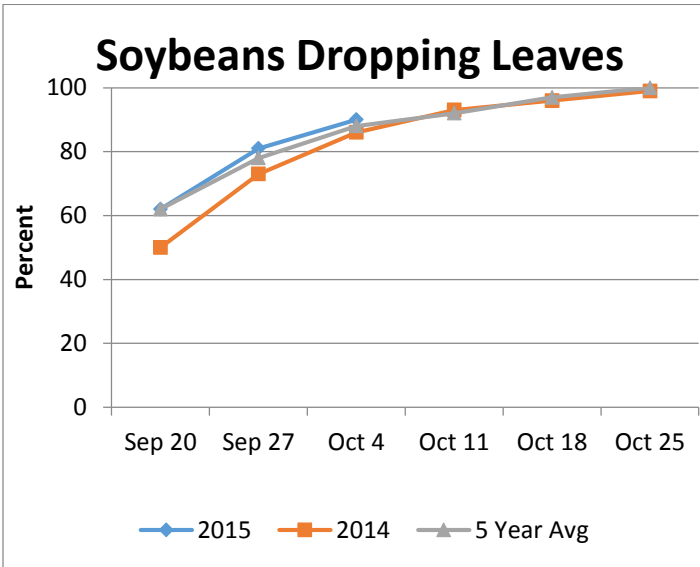
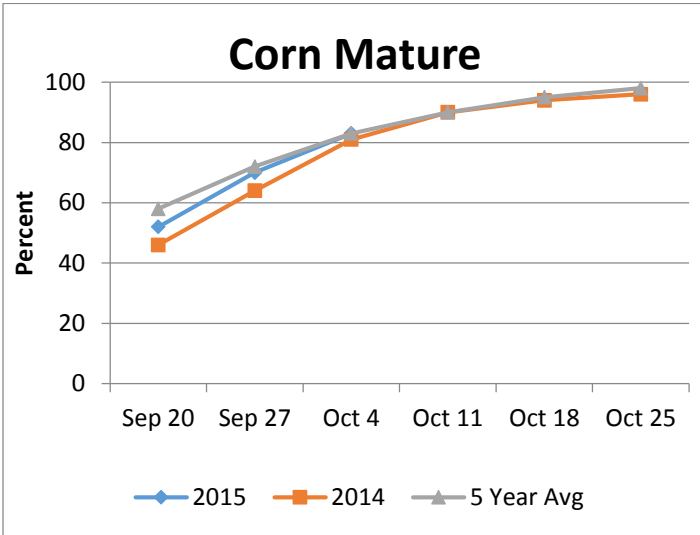
October 5, 2015

Harvest is Progressing

Corn and soybean harvest continued to make significant progress despite the rain, according to the USDA, NASS, Great Lakes Region. Cooler but sunny weather last week and no measureable rain until the weekend allowed for crop harvesting to progress. Sporadic showers over the weekend did not stop it. There were 5.6 days suitable for fieldwork, 1.0 day less than last week.

Soybean yields were reported to be above expectation; soybean moisture content rose after the rain on Saturday and foggy conditions. In some areas, seed corn harvest was reported as nearly complete allowing farmers to switch to commercial corn. Despite the rain and heavy winds reported, corn appeared to be standing pretty well. Early corn yields were still being reported as greatly variable. Livestock are reported in good condition with cattle putting on winter weight. Other activities for the week included fall tillage, fall fairs, commercial tomato harvest and planting of cover crops.

Regionally, soybeans dropping leaves was 92% complete in the North, 88% in Central, and 91% in the South. Soybeans harvested was 40% complete in the North, 43% in Central, and 38% in the South. Soybeans rated in good to excellent condition was 47% in the North, 51% in Central, and 50% in the South. By region, corn matured was 84% in the North, 78% in Central, and 92% in the South. Corn harvested for grain was 24% complete in the North, 22% in Central, and 54% in the South. Corn rated in good to excellent condition was 41% in the North, 50% in Central, and 59% in the South.



Soil Moisture: Week Ending 10/04/15				
Item	Very short	Short	Adequate	Surplus
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Topsoil moisture	7	32	56	5
Subsoil moisture	7	32	57	4

Crop Condition: Week Ending 10/04/15					
Crop	Very poor	Poor	Fair	Good	Excellent
	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)	(percent)
Corn	9	15	28	36	12
Soybeans	7	13	31	38	11
Range and Pasture	10	19	37	31	3

Crop Moisture Content for week ending 10/04/15				
Crop	This week	Last week	Last year	5-year average
	Percent	Percent	Percent	Percent
Field corn harvested for grain	19	21	22	21
Soybeans harvested	13	13	14	13

Crop Progress: Week Ending 10/04/15				
Crop/Activity	Percent Completed			
	This week	Last week	Last year	5 Year average
Days Suitable for Fieldwork	5.6	6.6	-	-
Corn Dented	99	96	99	99
Corn Mature	83	70	81	83
Corn Harvested for Grain	29	18	17	32
Soybeans Dropping Leaves	90	81	86	88
Soybeans Harvested	41	23	17	29
Alfalfa Hay 3rd Cutting	99	95	NA	NA
Alfalfa Hay 4th Cutting	57	45	80	NA
Other Hay 3rd Cutting	95	85	99	NA
Tobacco Harvested	91	81	80	NA

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For the Period: September 28, 2015
To: October 4, 2015

LAST WEEK WEATHER SUMMARY DATA April 1, 2015 - October 4, 2015												
STATION	TEMPERATURE				PRECIPITATION 4IN			PRECIPITATION			GDD BASE 50F	
	HI	LO	AVG	DFN	TOTAL	DAYS	TEMP	TOTAL	DFN	DYS	TOTAL	DFN
NORTHWEST												
Chalmers_5W	82	42	59	+0	0.02	1		30.75	+7.57	73	2917	-40
Francesville	81	41	59	+0	0.02	1		33.68	+10.64	63	2917	-32
La_Porte_Ag	78	43	57	-2	0.08	3		24.25	+0.50	67	2936	+85
Rensselaer_Ag	80	43	59	+2	0.05	1		34.25	+11.21	76	3130	+181
Valparaiso_AP_I	81	44	60	+3	0.05	1		23.94	+0.37	64	3022	+337
Wanatah	80	41	58	+0	0.07	1	67	25.78	+2.21	62	2760	+75
NORTH_CENTRAL												
Goshen_3SW	81	42	58	-2	0.08	3		25.49	+3.23	79	2989	+64
Logansport	81	45	60	+2	0.23	3		30.35	+6.84	76	3068	+182
Northern_In_NWS	81	43	57	-1	0.17	3		25.62	+2.58	71	2885	+230
Peru_Grissom_AF	82	45	60	+3	0.74	3		32.98	+9.04	65	3190	+412
Plymouth	81	43	58	+0	0.14	2		33.19	+9.04	62	2846	+99
South_Bend_AP	79	41	58	+1	0.12	2		22.94	-0.31	71	3071	+327
Wabash_Coop	83	45	60	+3	0.21	3		33.12	+9.61	61	3258	+598
NORTHEAST												
Angola_Ag	78	43	57	+2	0.43	2		24.79	+2.23	64	2561	+115
Bluffton_Main_S	82	45	59	+1	0.21	3		38.61	+16.37	75	2899	-16
Decatur	83	45	61	+2	0.14	2		39.33	+16.33	77	2992	+23
Fort_Wayne_AP	82	47	60	+2	0.13	3		32.94	+11.29	74	3086	+251
Garrett	82	44	59	+1	0.17	2		26.05	+2.58	69	2802	+42
Huntington_WTR	82	46	59	+1	0.17	4		32.73	+10.53	70	2870	-81
Lagrange_2SW	79	44	59	+3	0.24	3		27.06	+4.49	89	2795	+275
Woodburn_3N	82	45	59	+0	0.13	3		34.23	+12.45	80	2870	+24
WEST_CENTRAL												
Crawfordsville_	81	45	60	+2	0.38	2		36.83	+13.17	69	2929	+77
Lafayette_8S	83	46	61	+2	0.22	3		28.19	+5.63	73	3150	+236
Perrysville_4WN	85	43	62	+3	0.20	3	71	26.25	+2.85	73	3360	+365
Spencer_Ag	84	47	61	+5	0.95	4		29.12	+2.24	69	3307	+570
Terre_Haute_AFB	83	48	62	+0	0.66	4		21.60	-3.04	68	3496	+163
W_Lafayette_6NW	82	44	60	+2	0.06	2	67	29.94	+6.76	75	3108	+151
CENTRAL												
Carmel_3E	81	46	60	+0	0.32	3		26.09	+0.89	75	3048	+60
Columbus_Ag	88	45	62	+2	1.27	4		31.68	+8.04	63	3451	+174
Franklin_WWTP	84	44	63	+3	1.11	4		29.93	+7.01	71	3428	+209
Greenfield	81	45	60	-1	1.18	3		30.41	+4.78	74	3149	+22
Greensburg_Ag	86	46	61	+1	0.98	3		27.45	+2.03	69	3434	+256
Indianapolis_AP	84	47	62	+2	0.46	3		31.40	+7.85	68	3559	+341
Kokomo_3WSW	81	45	60	+2	0.44	3		33.36	+9.42	72	2992	+214
Marion_2N	81	45	59	+0	0.30	3		29.10	+5.75	74	2881	-5
Martinsville	82	45	60	+2	0.47	3		25.05	+0.11	72	3009	+34
Rushville_Sew_P	83	46	61	+2	1.04	4		29.67	+4.85	78	3276	+319
Shelbyville_Sew	83	44	61	+0	1.32	2		29.92	+7.00	74	3251	+32
Tipton_5SW	85	44	60	+3	0.38	3		30.86	+8.60	69	3045	+396
EAST_CENTRAL												
Farmland_5NNW	83	44	60	+3	0.40	4	69	30.64	+7.24	75	3042	+299
Hartford_City_4	82	46	60	+1	0.23	3		31.10	+8.06	75	3107	+113
Muncie_AP	79	43	58	-2	0.18	3		29.95	+7.11	74	3180	+179
New_Castle_3SW	82	43	61	+3	0.40	3		26.42	+1.65	74	2924	+201
Richmond_Wtr_Wk	83	44	60	+3	0.79	4		25.58	+2.84	78	3321	+479
SOUTHWEST												
Boonville_1S	82	48	63	-1	1.36	4		34.42	+10.09	68	4013	+291
Elnora	83	47	63	+3	1.07	6		30.20	+5.30	72	3779	+430
Evansville_AP	85	49	64	+2	0.98	4		26.65	+2.83	69	4113	+364
Farmersburg_TV2	83	48	62	+2	1.19	2		23.17	-1.31	69	3662	+441
Mt_Vernon	82	50	65	+2	0.88	2		24.80	+0.93	55	4059	+434
Shoals_8S	84	46	61	+1	1.60	4		31.10	+4.49	63	3450	+260
Stendal	83	46	61	-2	1.53	3		35.47	+9.54	63	3569	+24
Vincennes_4E	84	47	62	+1	0.98	4		27.21	+1.80	67	3581	+207
Washington_1W	83	47	63	+0	1.00	3		29.77	+5.39	58	3788	+239
SOUTH_CENTRAL												
Bloomington_AP	84	46	62	+2	0.68	4		29.35	+3.54	65	3452	+236
Cannelton_Ag	86	46	62	-3	1.03	4		28.58	+2.43	85	3611	-34
Corydon	84	47	62	+2	1.77	5		35.35	+8.67	98	3671	+331
Leavenworth	84	46	62	+0	2.29	5		38.47	+11.79	86	3686	+346
Medora_7S	84	47	62	+0	1.20	3		30.79	+5.63	91	3525	+179
New_Salem_1SSE	84	47	62	+0	0.99	4		29.71	+4.55	65	3563	+217
Oolitic_PU_Exp_	84	46	61	+1	0.95	4		22.60	-3.23	64	3265	+114
Paoli	84	46	61	+1	1.53	3		27.95	+1.53	57	3434	+230
Seymour	84	47	62	+2	0.57	4		28.37	+2.34	90	3451	+360
Tell_City	82	48	63	-2	1.19	3		31.74	+5.59	64	3747	+102
SOUTHEAST												
Madison_Sewage_	84	47	61	-2	1.42	5		28.36	+2.99	70	3510	+95
Moores_Hill_6SS	84	46	61	+4	1.08	4		26.60	+1.47	80	3405	+734
Vernon_1ENE	84	46	61	+0	0.70	4		32.98	+7.98	75	3436	+121
Versailles_Wtr_	84	46	61	+4	1.24	5		29.67	+4.54	97	3403	+732

Summary based on NWS data.
DFN = Departure From Normal.
Precipitation (rain or melted snow/ice) in inches.
Air Temperatures in Degrees Fahrenheit.

Normals period 1971-2000 Used in DFN calculations

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